

Amendments to the Specification:

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--[0066A] A lamp unit 10 comprises an array of LEDs 27 preferably embedded in a potting compound 46 and arranged in a plurality of strings 28, each LED connected in series to other LEDs in the same string 28 and with the strings connected in parallel (see Figures 2 and 3). The lamp unit 10 also includes an optical unit 22 spaced from the LEDs. Each of the LEDs 27 is associated with a convex lens 30 on the inner surface of the optical unit 22, and the outer surface of the optical unit 22 comprises a series of straight-edged prisms 32 running orthogonally to the LED strings 28.--

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